

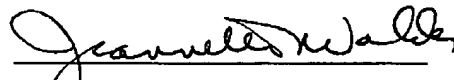
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REMARKS

Claims 2-4 and 11 have been amended. New Claims 16-19 have been added. Support for new Claims 16 and 17 can be found on page 4, lines 1-4. Support for Claim 18 can be found on page 7, lines 14-17. Support for Claim 19 can be found on page 6, lines 6-16. No new matter has been added.

Consideration of this application and allowance thereof are earnestly solicited. In the event the Examiner considers a personal contact advantageous to the disposition of this case, the Examiner is requested to call the undersigned Attorney for Applicants, Jeannette Walder.

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VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE:**IN THE CLAIMS:**

2. (Amended) The programmable document of claim 1, wherein the metadata comprises at least one of processing information, version information, user comments, copy information, transformation information, distribution information and index information.

3. (Amended) The programmable document of claim 1, wherein the computer is attached to the physical document by at least one of an adhesive, a removable adhesive, a magnetic material.

4. (Amended) The programmable document of claim 1, wherein the computer is attached to the physical document by at least one of a spiral binding and a reinforced hole with a fastener for holding the computer.

11. (Amended) The method of claim 10, further comprising:
performing an activity pertaining to the physical document; and
stere-storing a digital record of the performed activity in the computer.

Claims 16-20 are new claims.